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STATE OF THE SLR IN RUSSIA



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During a long period, the Russian SLR stations were unable to deliver measurement data to the ILRS. Currently, in accordance with a recent decision of the State Administration, it is permitted to deliver measurement data from two Russian stations (Altay and Baikonur) to the ILRS, as well as to resume data delivery from the Komsomolsk station.



Altay SLR station

The Altay SLR station has been recently upgraded: a new laser has been installed with a pulse repetition rate of 300 Hz (instead of 5 Hz), and a higher average output power (0.75 W instead of 0.25 W).

The measurement data delivery to the ILRS has started Oct. 10, 2008.



Interaction of the Russian SLR Station Network, Data Collection Center, and ILRS

Basic functions of the Data Collection and Analysis Center:

- Provision of ephemeris data for the SLR stations
- > Collection and storage of measurement data from all stations
- Monitoring of measurement data accuracy, completeness, and correctness of data delivery
- Calculation of normal point data and their delivery to the ILRS Data Centers (during the first phase of operation)
- «Feedback» to SLR stations and ILRS concerning measurement data quality and completeness



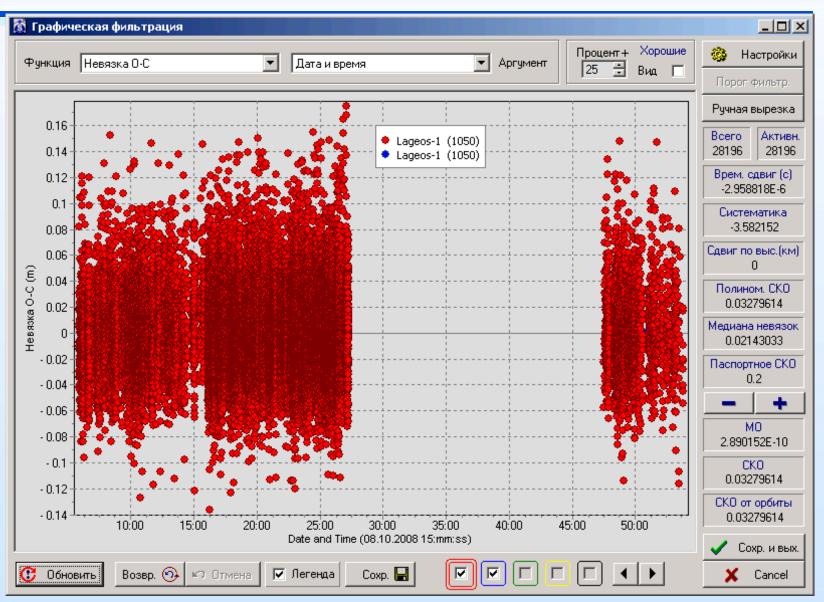
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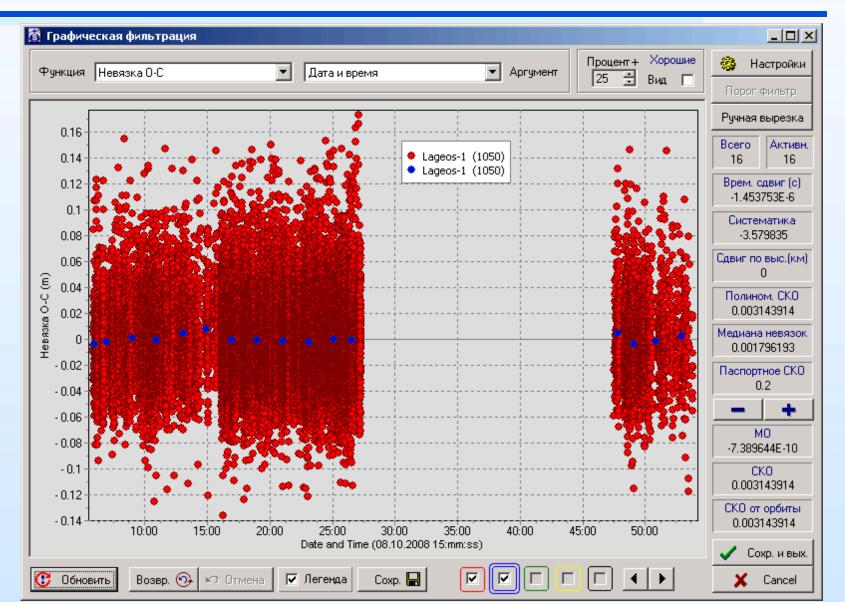


Raw measurement data deviations from the smoothed orbit (Altay SLR station, LAGEOS-1, 08.10.2008)



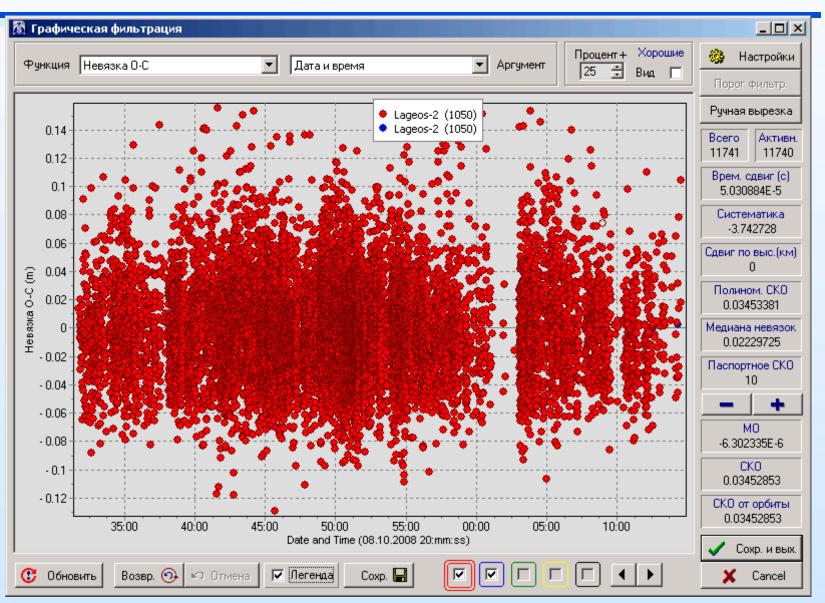


Normal point data deviation from the smoothed orbit (Altay SLR station, LAGEOS-1, 08.10.2008)



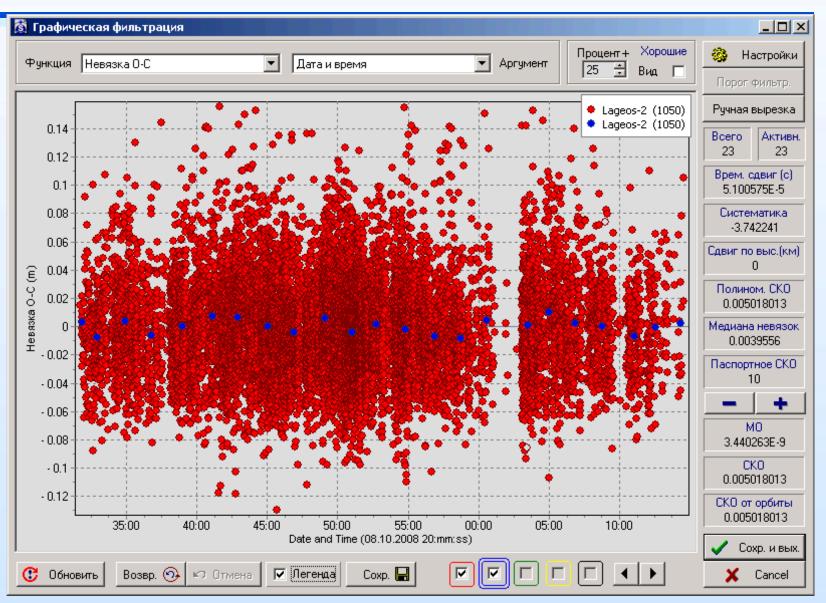


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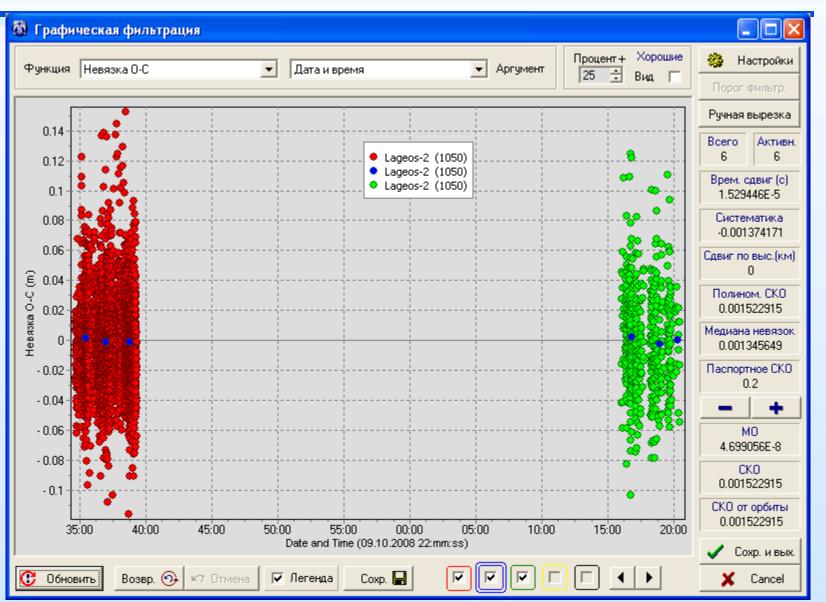


Normal point data deviations from smoothed orbit (Altay SLR station, LAGEOS-2, 08.10.2008)





Normal point data deviations from the smoothed orbit (Altay SLR station, LAGEOS-2, 09.10.2008)





Correction of Komsomolsk SLR station coordinates

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Coordinates: X=-2948.545480; Y=2774.313007; Z=4912.302412



Altay Optic Laser Center (AOLC)

The SLR station Altay is housed in the Altay Optical-Laser Center (AOLC), 300 km to South-West from city Barnaul, 20 km to North from town Zmeinogorsk.





Current SLR station Altay





Altay station telescope



- Receive aperture 60 cm
- Transmit aperture 20cm
- Tracking camera: ICCD, FOV 10'x12'
- Laser 2,5 mJ 150 ps 300 Hz
- Photometry: up to 15^m
- Angle measurements ± 2"



Wide Field Telescope

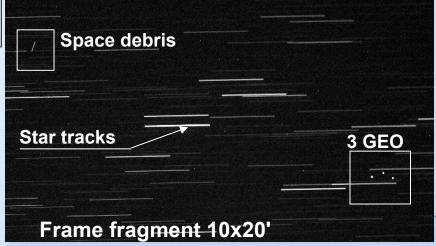


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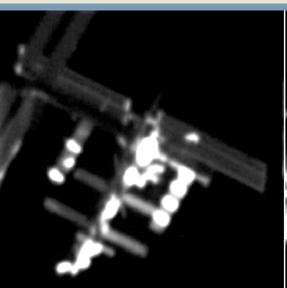
GEO SC search and angle measurement

BASIC PARAMETERS:

- □ aperture 0,35 m;
- □ CCD format 4096x4096;
- □ angular FOW 6.25 sq. deg
- exposition time up to 2.5 sec.
- minimum brightness for HEO spacecraft 16^m
- SC position measurement accuracy ≤ 0,4";
- ☐ GEO area scanning rate 600 sq. deg/h



ISS images (with use of adaptive optic system)





26. 10. 2006

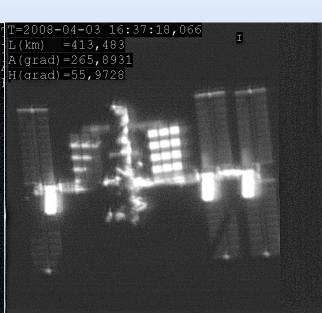
Culmination range 450 km

Elevation 45⁰

03. 04. 2008.

Culmination range 416 km Elevation 55°







AOLC view across the Kolyvan Lake



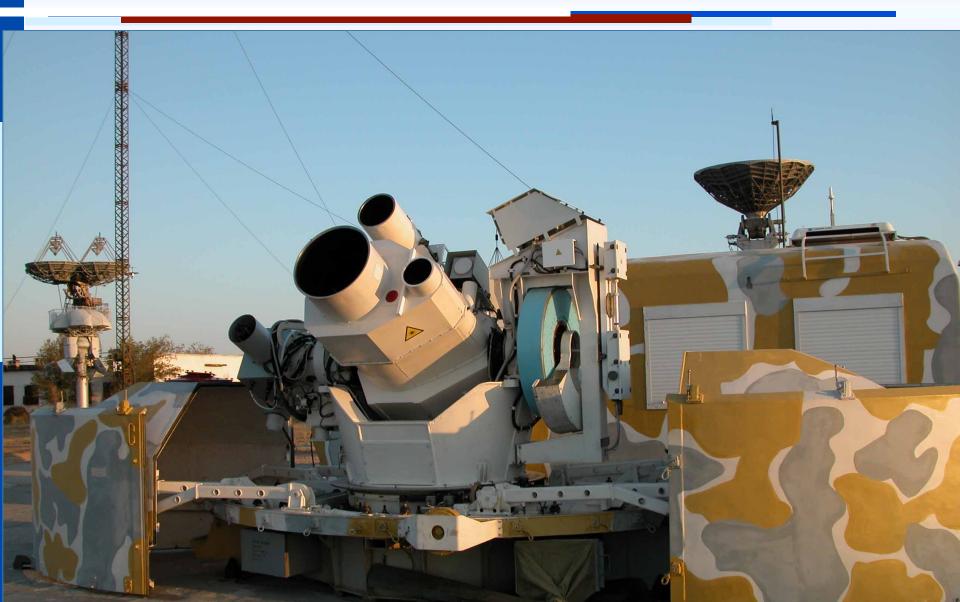


Future Station Concept





Baikonur SLR Station



RUSSIAN SLR NETWORK

